HAPPY EASTER!

Grace Community and First Baptist Churches are worshipping together! We're so glad you're here with us today! This celebration is a great time to connect with God and His people. Both Churches are a wonderful family and support system for those following Christ, and for those coming to know Him better. We hope you'll find our time together encouraging and that you'll sense the presence of God.

Let's Worship Together

Date: April 20, 2025

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Opening Songs:

Up From the Grave He Arose

Glorious Day

Crown Him with Many Crowns

Pray for and dismiss the children

Introduction to the Song, "Remember Me"
Luke 23:39-43

Sit and Listen Song: Remember Me

Offering

Scripture: Luke 24: 1-12

Message by: Pastor Ian Burbridge

"The Resurrection – Did it Really Happen?"

Closing Song: Jesus Paid it All

Blessing

Today's Scriptures:

Luke 23:39-43 New International Version

³⁹ One of the criminals who hung there hurled insults at him: "Aren't you the Messiah? Save yourself and us!"

⁴⁰ But the other criminal rebuked him. "Don't you fear God," he said, "since you are under the same sentence? ⁴¹ We are punished justly, for we are getting what our deeds deserve. But this man has done nothing wrong."

⁴² Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.^[a]"

⁴³ Jesus answered him, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise."

Luke 24:1-12 New International Version

Jesus Has Risen

24 On the first day of the week, very early in the morning, the women took the spices they had prepared and went to the tomb.

² They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, ³ but when they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. ⁴ While they were wondering about this, suddenly two men in clothes that gleamed like lightning stood beside them. ⁵ In their fright the women bowed down with their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead?

⁶ He is not here; he has risen! Remember how he told you, while he was still with you in Galilee: ⁷ 'The Son of Man must be delivered over to the hands of sinners, be crucified and on the third day be raised again.' "⁸ Then they remembered his words.

⁹ When they came back from the tomb, they told all these things to the Eleven and to all the others. ¹⁰ It was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the others with them who told this to the apostles. ¹¹ But they did not believe the women, because their

words seemed to them like nonsense. ¹² Peter, however, got up and ran to the tomb. Bending over, he saw the strips of linen lying by themselves, and he went away, wondering to himself what had happened.

Week at a Glance

Tuesday 8:00 am – Men's Breakfast at Zarate's

10:00 am – Bible Study with Pastors

1:00 pm – Game Day in the Education Bldg.

6:00 pm – Weekly prayer meeting

Wednesday 9:00 am – Ladies at Culture Coffee on Dearborn St.
 Thursday 2:00 pm – Ladies Bible Study at Linda S home

Friday

Saturday 8:00 am – Men's Breakfast at Maria's

Sunday 10:30 am – Worship Service

6:00 pm – Bible Study with Sam

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